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[MR. DEPUTY CHAIRMAN in the Chair.]

PAPERS LAID ON THE TABLE

Report and Accounts (2006-07) of the Bureau of Indian Standards, New Delhi and related papers

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE AND THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION (DR. AKHILESH PRASAD SINGH): Sir, I lay on the Table:

(i) A copy each (in English and Hindi) of the following papers, under section 23 of the Bureau of Indian Standards Act, 1986:

(a) Annual Report and Accounts of the Bureau of Indian Standards, New Delhi, for the year 2006-2007, together with the Auditor's Report on the Accounts.

(b) Review by Government on the working of the above Bureau.

(ii) Statement giving reasons for the delay in laying the papers mentioned at (I) above. [Placed in Library. See No. L.T. 8302/08]

Report and Accounts (2006-07) of MCRPB, New Delhi and related papers

THE MINISTER OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT (SHRI S. JAIPAL REDDY): Sir, I lay on the Table a copy each (in English and Hindi) of the following papers.

(a) Annual Report and Accounts of the National Capital Region Planning Board (NCRPB), New Delhi, for the year 2006-2007, together with the Auditor's Report on the Accounts under section 26 of the National Capital Region Planning Board Act, 1985.

(b) Statement giving reasons for the delay in laying the papers mentioned at (a) above. [Placed in Library. *See* No. L.T. '8262/08]

National Mineral Policy

THE MINISTER OF MINES (SHRI SIS RAM OLA): Sir, I lay on the Table, a copy (in English and Hindi) of the National Mineral Policy. [Placed in Library. See No. L.T. 8508/08]

I. Accounts (2006-07) of the Coir Board, Kochi and related papers.

II. Accounts (2006-07) of KVIC, Mumbai and related papers.

THE MINISTER OF MICRO, SMALL AND MEDIUM ENTERPRISES (SHRI MAHAVIR PRASAD): Sir, I lay on the Table:

I. (1) A copy each (in English and Hindi) of the following papers, under sub-section (4) of section 17 of the Coir Industries Act, 1953:

(a) Annual Accounts of the Coir Board, Kochi, for the year 2006-2007, and the Audit Report thereon.

(b) Statement by Government accepting the above Report.